ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH MILTOWN MALBAY    ST. MARY’S CHURCH MOY
CRÍOCHA CALLAN PASTORAL AREA
CHURCH OF IRELAND – CHRIST CHURCH SPANISH POINT

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time      Year C      7th July, 2019

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In Miltown Malbay Church:

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Every Tuesday from 10.30 a.m. until 10 p.m.
Prayer Group:       Wednesday evening 6 p.m. in the Parish Meeting Room
Readers for Next Sunday: 6.00 p.m.    Martina Murphy
                        12.15 p.m.    John G. Devitt

Next Sunday is the Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C

LITURGIES FOR THIS WEEK:

**Miltown**
Monday:    10 a.m. Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion
MASS:     10 a.m. Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday

Saturday: Mass 6 p.m.  – Dan Twomey, Dough (Months Mind)
Sunday:   Mass 10 a.m.
Mass 12.15 p.m.  – Grouped Anniversary Masses
Nellie Sharkey, Mullagh Road
(1st Anniversary)
Jimmy, Maisie & John Galvin, Breaffa
Colm O’Gorman & Deceased Members of the O’Gorman Family, St. Joseph’s Tee.
Joe Curtin, Rockmount
Frank & Margaret Healy & Deceased Members of the Healy Family, The Crescent

Mov: Reader for Next Sunday: Denise Dougherty

Sunday: Mass 10 a.m

**CHRIST CHURCH, SPANISH POINT**
Sunday: Morning Service 9.30 a.m. Sunday 14th July

**REMEMBRANCE:**  Our prayers are asked for the repose of the Souls of Michael (Mickey) Shannon, Clonbony, Kathleen O’Looney, née Gallagher, Cárhucloch, Ennistymon, Patrick O’Keefe, Knock, Inch and Bernie Ryan, ‘Realt na Mara’ Quilty.

**MSS SERVERS:** MILTOWN MALBAY
Saturday 13th July 6 p.m.   Mass Group C
Sunday 14th July 12.15 p.m.    Mass Group C2

**EXTRA MASS:** Next Sunday there will be Mass in Irish at 10 a.m. with Cór Chuíl Aodha in conjunction with the Willie Clancy Summer School.

**ADORATION:** Please note there will no Adoration this Tuesday 9th July.

**JULY GROUPED ANNIVERSARY**
**MASSES IN MILTOWN**
Saturday   6th July 6 p.m.  Sunday 14th July 12.15 p.m.
Saturday 20th July 6 p.m.  Sunday 28th July 12.15 p.m.

**JULY GROUPED ANNIVERSARY**
**MASSES IN MOY**
Sunday 7th July 10 a.m.  Sunday 21st July 10 a.m.

**RINEEN N.S.:** Copies of their commemorative book celebrating 150 years are available in the Parish office at a cost of €20.

**MALTA & STEPS OF ST. PAUL:** 25th August – 1st September. Bus transfer from Miltown Malbay via Kilmaley, Ennis to CORK Airport. For further details contact Mary O’ Loughlin 065-7084000 / 085-2252251 or Fr. Pat Larkin 0872300627. A few seats still available & anyone interested contact Marian Pilgrimages directly at 01-8788159.

**PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORIE:** On 11th September from Shannon. Spiritual Director:  Fr. Martin Blake and Fr. Martin Shanahan. Contact James Considine on 065 9059328 / 085 7385385.

**CROAGH PATRICK:** The annual national pilgrimage to Croagh Patrick ‘Reek Sunday’ takes place on Sunday 28 July. Mass will be celebrated on the summit of the mountain on the hour with the first Mass at 8:00am and the last Mass at 2:00pm. Confessions will be available on the summit from 7:30am to 2:00pm.

**THE OLD KILFARBOY SOCIETY GUIDED WALK: Tour of Kilrush** - Sunday 14th July, 2019 – Guide is Rita McCarthy. Meet in Miltown Church car park at 2 p.m. or Brew’s car park Kilrush at 2.30 p.m. The tour will take in the Marina, Paupers’ Quay, Kilrush Union Workhouse and the impressive Harry Clarke stained glass windows in St. Senan’s Church. All are welcome. Contact: Maura at 087- 1264527. Contribution €5.
St. Joseph’s Church Grounds

 Restoration

The tarmacadum, paths and the drainage system of the church grounds are in need of replacement. The Parish Finance Committee have received professional advice and estimates for the necessary works which will cost approximately €25,000. In order to help with these costs it is proposed to hold a retiring collection after the Masses on the week-ends of the 6th/7th July and 13th/14th July. Your support for this project would be very much appreciated.

ENVELOPES for this collection are available in the Church porches this week-end and can be put into the collection baskets in the Church.

ANNUAL TRACTOR RUN: Lets make it a big one for our 10th Annual Tractor Run in Memory of the Late Mattie McInerney R.I.P. and Michael Flynn R.I.P., on Sunday 21st July, meeting at Mikey's grave in Mullagh at 2.15pm, leaving Mullagh Sportsfield at 2.30pm to Ennistymon Graveyard. €20 per tractor, followed by music with The Hazzards and nice food in Michael A's, Miltown Malbay, Raffle on the night, proceeds to West Clare Cancer. Please support this worthy cause. Contact Mary T. at 086 1012857.

WATER SAFETY CLASSES: WHITE STRAND, MILTOWN MALBAY

Week 1: 15th – 19th July, 2019: Rescue 1-4, Safety 1, 2, 3, 4 & Survival classes

Week 2: 22nd – 26th July, 2019: Swimming classes (Seal & Marlin) for younger children + Safety 1

Class times are tide dependent and will be announced closer to the date. Go to www.clarewatersafety.com for online registration or checkout our Facebook page clarewatersafety. Assisted online registration at the Life Saving Training Centre, White Strand, Miltown Malbay 2.30-4.30 on June 30th. Please bring your card to complete payment. Registration will close for Week 1 on Saturday, July 13th & will reopen (for Week 2) from Wednesday, July 17th until Saturday, July 20th

Local organisers: Caitriona Quirke, Mary Rogers & Theresa Mulvihill

IBRICKEN LODGE in Spanish Point will be open during the Willie Clancy Week this year with the aim of reaching out to people through music and song. The FCJ Sisters are running an Open House for the week from 1.30pm-10.00pm each day. Each night will close with a Celtic Prayer (preferably outdoors). For 3 of the days, Deirdre Ni Chineíde (sister of Mary Kennedy RTE Nationwide), will give 2 presentations per day, on Celtic Spirituality, using Irish music too.

Anyone who plays music is welcome to come along and play. All of these events are free and anyone who wishes is invited to drop in, enjoy the music and touch into the spiritual along the way. It is an Alcohol free event and anyone under 18 is requested to be accompanied.

THE MISSION SHOP on the Spanish Point Road will be open again this year as usual during the ‘Willie Clancy’ week. All proceeds from this shop go to help Third World Countries.

COMMUNITY CENTRE DRAW: Congratulations to the winners of the latest Members Draw James O'Brien & Claire Twomey, Johnny Wilson, Burren Vets & Kevin Ferguson. MMDC would also like to sincerely thank everyone who attended the recent open night at the new Community Centre.

COMMUNITY HALL: Like many people I (Fr. Donagh) attended the Open Night in the New Hall Building last Thursday night. It is extraordinary the transformation that has taken place. We now have a wonderful space for so many activities in our community with enormous potential for the future. We salute the magnificent Committee that has made it possible, the Architect, The Builder and Craftspeople for a job well done. Mile Buíochas.

47th WILLIE CLANCY SUMMER SCHOOL:

A warm welcome to all who are attending our 47th Willie Clancy Summer School. We are indebted to the wonderful Committee that makes this Festival possible every year. “If its music you want you should go to Clare” Christy Moore Song. We are grateful for the wonderful music and for all the people who gather in our town for these magic days of music dance and community. The Poet WB Yeats put it well in his wonderful Poem:

“THE FIDDLER OF DOONEY”

When I play on my fiddle in Dooney,
Folk dance like a wave of the sea;
My cousin is priest in Kilvarnet,
My brother in Mocharabuee.

I passed my brother and cousin:
They read in their books of prayer;
I read in my book of songs
I bought at the Sligo fair.

When we come at the end of time
To Peter sitting in state,
He will smile on the three old spirits,
But call me first through the gate;

For the good are always the merry,
Save by an evil chance,
And the merry love the fiddle,
And the merry love to dance:

And when the folk there spy me,
They will all come up to me,
With ‘Here is the fiddler of Dooney!’
And dance like a wave of the sea.

THE CLARE 250 COFFEE WEEKEND takes place on July 13th & 14th at the Clare 250 Cancer Centre from 10am to 5pm, where there will be a photo exhibition celebrating 40 years of the Clare 250. All are welcome! Directions can be found at www.clare250cancercentre.ie

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